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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Andrew James ELLIOT Conf.: 4743
Appl. No.: 10/623,650 Group: 3636
Filed: July 22, 2003 Examiner: Sarah C. BURNHAM
For: LUMBAR SUPPORT

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 30, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEPENDENT	1	-	3	=	0	\$200	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$360	\$0.00
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Petition for two (2) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$450.00 for the extension of time.

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Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated August 3, 2004, the response for which having been extended two (2) months until January 3, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes an amended Claim Set and Remarks.